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Equal opportunity to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political AN EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER affiliation, age or sexual orientation.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION **EXAMINATION BASE**

SPOT EXAMINATION FOR: SACRAMENTO

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Applicants who meet the minimum qualifications as stated below. Applications will not be accepted on a promotional basis.

HOW TO APPLY

Submit Examination Application (Std. Form 678)

By mail with: Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Office of Workforce Planning and Selection P.O. Box 942883

Sacramento, CA 94283-0001 (916) 322-2545

In person with: Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Office of Workforce Planning and Selection 1515 S Street, Room 522N Sacramento, CA 95811-7243 (916) 322-2545

If you are personally delivering your application, you must do so between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, on or before the final filing date to the same street address as listed above for the Office of Workforce Planning and Selection.

NOTE: Only applications with an original signature will be accepted.

APPLICATION **DEADLINE**/ **REQUIREMENTS** March 25, 2010, is the final filing date. Applications postmarked, personally delivered or received via interoffice mail after this date will not be accepted for any reason.

All applicants must meet the education and/or experience requirements for this examination by the final filing date.

TEST DATE

Information will be provided to accepted applicants by letter.

SALARY RANGE(S)

As of **January 21, 2010 \$4,619 - \$5,897**

MINIMUM **QUALIFICATIONS**

<u>Either I</u>

Experience: One year of experience in the California state service performing professional auditing or accounting duties of a class with a level of responsibility not less than that of Staff Services Management Auditor (Range C) or Governmental Auditor II.

(Applicants who have completed six months of service performing the duties as specified above will be admitted to the examination, but must have satisfactorily completed the one year of this experience before they can be eligible for appointment.)

<u>Or II</u>

Experience: Three years of increasingly responsible professional auditing and accounting experience or management consultant experience which shall have involved preparation of reports and presentations of recommendations to management. For at least one year, these responsibilities must have included duties at a level equivalent to that of Staff Services Management Auditor (Range C) in State service. One year of graduate work in accounting, business administration, public administration, or a related field may be substituted for the six months' experience. and

Education: Equivalent to graduation from college preferably with a major in accounting, business administration, public administration, or economics and with a minimum of six semester units of accounting.

Special Personal Characteristics: Ability to qualify for a fidelity bond and willingness to travel and work away from the headquarters office.

NOTE: Equivalent to graduation from college refers to a Bachelor's degree. Applicants must have the number of semester or quarter credits, as well as the required coursework necessary to be awarded a four year Bachelor's degree.

Qualifying experience may be combined on a proportionate basis if the requirements stated above include more than one pattern and are distinguished as "Either" I, "or" II, "or" III, etc. For example, candidates who possess qualifying experience amounting to 50% of the required time of Pattern I, and additional experience amounting to 50% of the required time of Pattern II, may be admitted to an examination as meeting 100% of the overall experience requirement.

OUT-OF-CLASS EXPERIENCE: A "completion of an out-of-class assignment" memorandum, dated within one year of assignment completion, is required to use as out-of-class experience to meet the minimum qualifications for examination purposes. Employees may obtain this documentation from his/her Institutional Personnel Officer/Personnel Liaison. Out-of-class experience without required documentation will not be considered for examination purposes.

EXAMINATION PLAN

INTERVIEWS WILL NOT BE HELD. This examination will consist of a Qualifications Assessment weighted 100%. To obtain a position on the eligible list, applicants must achieve a minimum rating of 70% on the Qualifications Assessment.

EXAMINATION ΡΙ ΔΝ CONTINUED

Candidates who meet the "Minimum Qualifications" will be mailed a Qualifications Assessment designed to elicit a range of specific information regarding each candidate's knowledge, abilities, and potential to effectively perform the duties relative to the classification. RETURN OF THE QUALIFICATIONS ASSESSMENT IS MANDATORY. Candidates who do not return the completed Qualifications Assessment will be eliminated from this examination.

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Qualifications Assessment -- Weighted 100%

Scope: Emphasis in the examination will be on measuring competitively, relative to job demands, each candidate's:

A. Knowledge of:

- 1. Elementary statistics
- 2. Organization and management in the public and private sector, current trends, and problems in governmental management
- 3. Principles of electronic data processing, the uniform accounting system, and the financial organization and procedures of the State of California, policies, rules, and regulations of the Legislature, State Controller, State Treasurer, Department of Finance, and central control agencies as they relate to State agency financial and program management activities

B. Ability to:

- 1. Conduct financial and management duties of a variety of State agencies, governmental jurisdictions, and other entities
- 2. Make investigations of accounting and financial organization procedures and problems
- 3. Communicate effectively
- 4. Analyze data and take effective action.

If conditions warrant, this examination may consist solely of an evaluation of each candidate's experience and education compared to a standard developed from the class specification. For this reason, it is especially important that each candidate take special care to accurately complete their application. List all experience relevant to the "Minimum Qualifications" shown on this announcement. In order to obtain a position on the eligible list, a minimum rating of 70.00% must be attained.

ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION

The resulting eligible list will be established to fill vacancies for the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. The list(s) will be abolished 12 months after establishment unless the needs of the service and conditions of the list(s) warrant a change in this period.

POSITION DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION(S)

An Associate Management Auditor examines organization operations and internal and management controls, review organization policies and procedures, appraise performance and accomplishments in the execution of agency plans and objectives, and evaluate the effectiveness of operations in terms of the resources available to the agencies audited. Management Auditors are also involved with audit programs in which the auditor may review accounts, records and reports, verify reconciliations of accounts, and determine that the financial statements accurately reflect financial status and transactions and do other related duties.

Positions exist with the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation in Sacramento.

SPECIAL TESTING **ARRANGEMENTS**

If you have a disability and need special testing arrangements, mark the appropriate box on the "Examination Application." You will be contacted to make specific arrangements.

VETERANS POINTS/ CAREER CREDITS

Veteran's Preference Points will not be granted in this examination since it does not qualify as an entrance examination under the law. Career credits will not be granted in this examination.

GENERAL INFORMATION

It is the candidate's responsibility to contact the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitations' Office of Workforce Planning and Selection at (916) 322-2545 three weeks after the final filing date if he/she has not received a progress notice.

Applications are available at Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation offices, State Personnel Board offices and local offices of the Employment Development Department, and online at www.spb.ca.gov/OEC/jobs/stateapp.aspx.

The Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the service if the circumstances under which this examination was planned changed. Such revisions will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules and all competitors will be notified.

Examination Locations: If this examination requires a written test and/or oral interview, they will be scheduled throughout the State at the correctional institutions, youth facilities, and/or parole regions. However, locations of the written test and/or oral interview may be limited or extended as conditions

ble Lists: Eligible lists established by a competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: subdivisional promotional; 2) departmental promotional; 3) multidepartmental promotional; 4) servicewide promotional; Eligible Lists: promotional; 5) departmental open; 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first.

If you meet the requirements stated in this bulletin, you may take this examination. Possession of the entrance requirement(s) does not assure success in the examination or placement on the employment list. All candidates who pass the examination described in this bulletin will be ranked according to their scores

General Qualifications: Competitors must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgment, ability to work cooperatively with others, and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the assigned duties of the class. A medical examination and fingerprinting may be required. In open examinations, an investigation may be made of employment records and personal history

IT IS AN OBJECTIVE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO ACHIEVE A DRUG-FREE WORK PLACE. ANY APPLICANT FOR STATE EMPLOYMENT WILL BE EXPECTED TO BEHAVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS OBJECTIVE BECAUSE THE USE OF ILLEGAL DRUGS IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE LAW OF THE STATE, THE RULES GOVERNING CIVIL SERVICE AND THE SPECIAL TRUST PLACED IN PUBLIC SERVANTS.

ONLY INDIVIDUALS LAWFULLY AUTHORIZED TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES WILL BE HIRED

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